

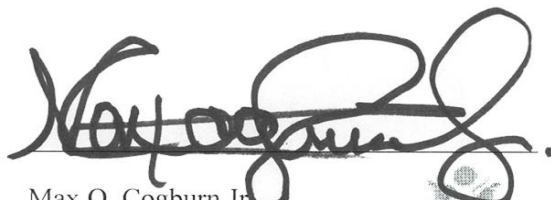
[his] LIFE back” through his renewed ability to travel “as needed.” (Id.). Defendant concedes in his motion that the USPO frequently approves Defendant’s request to travel internationally, to locations including Mexico, the Bahamas, and Italy. (Id.).

Both the Government and the USPO oppose early termination at this time. In responding to the motion, the Government states that the USPO has confirmed that Defendant has been a model supervisee since his transfer to the Western District of North Carolina on November 3, 2022. The Government further argues, however, that Defendant’s efforts do not justify the elimination of more than seventy-five (75) percent of his supervised release. The Government notes that the USPO in the Western District of North Carolina generally requires a supervisee to have completed two-thirds of a court ordered supervision term before the USPO will join in a recommendation for early termination. The Government states that both the Government and the USPO, therefore, oppose granting Defendant’s motion at this time.

This Court agrees with the Government that it is premature to grant Defendant early termination at this time. If Defendant continues to be successful while on supervised release, however, the Court will entertain a subsequent motion by Defendant once he has served at least two-thirds of his supervision.

In sum, Defendant’s pro se Motion for Early Termination of Probation/Supervised Release, (Doc. No. 4), is **DENIED** at this time.

Signed: March 10, 2023



Max O. Cogburn Jr.
United States District Judge